

February 6/1972

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Odey's birth

Cassell

William Cassell, Jr.
Born Sept 2 1854 Back Allegheny
Died April 17, 1921 at Cassell
Burial Wauless Cemetery
will dated 1/16/1919 probated
April 29, 1921
He was 67 yrs 6 months 12 days
Married 1/29/1885 Back Allegheny
Indicates Sutton 1/29/1885
Solemnized by ~~John~~ ^{John}
Born: August 1, 1885
Died March 29, 1923 ^{W. Va.}
77 yrs, Month 30 days
Burial Wauless Cemetery

He was 30
She 20 when married

His Parents:

William Cassell, Sr.
Tancy Collins Cassell

Her Parents:

Mary J. Sutton (bride)
Born Feb 1877
Died April 1921
Wife of William Cassell (br.)
will dated Jan 16, 1919 probated
April 23, 1921
Burial
Odey N. Cassell, Son
Charles Lucy Cassell, Son
Lelia N. Swink, Daughter
Maude R. Cassell, Daughter
Audie L. Cassell, Wife

1. Odey ^{Neal} Cassell

Born Jan 26, 1886

Pocahontas
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Died November 12, 1977

Burial Wauless Cemetery ^{She 22}
Married July 27, 1921 at Leechburg
Sons of W. H. Dickey born Jan 2, 1899
Died April 1929
date of marriage ~~Aug 12, 1924~~
D. Nellie Breathouse - 1903 -
(half sister to Clyde Henners) ~~12/23/1977~~
Burial

2. Lucy Cassell

B. August 22, 1888 Greenbank

7/10 D. August 26, 1947
Married ^{same} ~~same~~ 1/3/1912 ^{Pocahontas Co}
(sister to Gladys ~~and~~ ^{same} ~~she~~ Cassell
Burial ^{same} ~~same~~ ^{mother} ~~mother~~ Maryland
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3. Maude Ruth Cassell

Back Allegheny ^{now}
Born: May 9, 1892 Cass

Died May 20, 1953 ^{W. Va.}
Single ^{W. Va.} ~~had Tuberculosis~~
Burial: Wauless Cemetery

4. Lelia Alice Cassell

Born February 28, 1897 Cass

Died June 2, 1985 Fairmont
Married Price Swink ^{W. Va.} ~~Price~~ ¹⁹¹³
Born February 25, 1888 ^{W. Va.} ~~W. Va.~~

Died October 9, 1964
Burial: Wauless Cemetery

Pocahontas Times 12/22/1922

Fiduciary notice—Ode N. Cassell, administrator of
William Cassell, deceased

18 December 1922

P. T. Ward
Commissioner of Accounts

Mr. Ward mailed
12-22-1922

In Memoriam

William Cassell died at his home near Wanless, Braxton County, W. Va. April 13, 1921. Mr. Cassell had been in failing health for years, but was not bedfast until about two weeks before his death. He bore his suffering patiently and waited his summons from on high.

During his three score and six years which was his allotted term here on earth, he lived a life of gentleness and kindness which shed sunshine into many hearts and lightened many burdens. The rich and poor were always welcome in his home. The old and the young found him a true friend and he loved little children with all his heart and they loved him as much. Indeed there is a great vacancy, not only in the home from which he was taken, but in many hearts throughout the community.

He lived and died on the home place where he was born and where he had fulfilled the duties as a child, as a grown up man, a loving husband and a tender father. May the great Comforter of all hearts come in and fill this vacancy with all the fulness of his peace and consolation.

Mr. Cassell is survived by his wife, Mrs. India Cassell and four children, Lucy Cassell of Cass, Mrs. Price Swink, Miss Maud Cassell and Oley Cassell of Wanless; also five grandchildren.

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Mr. Cassell was a consecrated Christian, and a member of the M. E. South for a number of years. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Spangler, who had been his pastor for two years, but is now a pastor in Cumberland, Maryland.

With the passing of those we have "loved long since and lost awhile" Heaven becomes more a reality to us and more truly our own. We look forward to that day when we, who are faithful and true, shall be gathered with him, and other loved ones, around the throne of God.

M. S. C.

Poachontas Times 5/12/1921

Cards of Thanks

We wish to express to our friends of our neighborhood and elsewhere, our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for their help and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. May God richly bless you all.

Mrs. William Cassell and Family
Poachontas Times 4/21/1921

Obituary

on March 24, 1923 Mrs. India L. Cassell died at her home after an illness of two years, age 57 years, 7 months and 23 days. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Monroe of Greenbank, after which her body was laid to rest in the Wanless Cemetery by her husband William Cassell who preceded her to the grave two years ago. She was survived by four children, Lacy Cassell of Cumberland, Md., Odie Cassell, Maude Cassell and Mrs. Lela Swink of Wanless. Two brothers, J. B. Sutton of Cass, W. W. Sutton of Hooterman, one sister, Mrs. Allen Dalford of Wanless, also a host of friends to mourn their loss.

She had been a member of the M. E. Church South for thirty two years, living a consistent member up until her death. In her last hours of illness she also talked of the bright future of the Great Beyond and many times expressed her thanks to her many friends who did so much to comfort her during her long suffering.

She was a kind and loving mother, a devoted wife and an excellent neighbor.

a precious one from us has gone
a voice we love is stilled
a place is vacant in our home
which never can be filled.

Pocahontas Zonea 5/3/1923

Card of Thanks

we desire to express our heartfelt thanks to
our many friends and neighbors for their assistance
during the long illness and at the death of our dear
mother, Mrs. India L. Cassell. May God's richest
blessings rest upon them all.

Mrs. Lela Swink, Mandie Cassell
Lacy Cassell, Odiey Cassell

Rockport Times 4/5/1923



CASSELL 3

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Cassell

Obituary

Odey ⁷² Cassell, ¹⁸⁵⁶⁻¹⁹²⁷ ^{Funeral}
born ^{January 26, 1856} ^{WV} ^{WV}
Died ^{January 26, 1888} Cass Co

Died November 12, 1977

Burial: Wanless Cemetery

Married July 27, 1921 in Lewisburg
Greenbrier County by W.H. Dulane
1. Eva Nicely ^{part of} ^{WV} ^{WV}
born January 2, 1897 County
died January 9, 1929 Roberto
Burial: Wanless Cemetery

Her parents

John R. Nicely

Mattie Campbell Nicely ^{WV} ^{WV}

Solemnized by Clyde H. Belcher & Durbin ^{WV} ^{WV}
Married April 22, 1934 County

2. Nettie Heathouse ^{WV} ^{WV}
born Dec 31 1902 ^{WV} ^{WV}

Died 12/31/1979 Hospital Clev

Burial Wanless Cemetery

Her parents:

William Cassell, Jr
India L. Sisson Cassell

Her parents:

Maggie A. Hansen ^{WV}
William C. Dressler ^{WV}
married 3/24/1893 ^{WV} ^{WV}
Solemnized by C.B. Collins ^{WV} ^{WV}
Clyde Huttonson ^{WV} ^{WV}
2/25 May 23, 1957 ^{WV} ^{WV}
Married Children Dec 18, 1917

Odey Cassell - Football Scholarship to
W. Va University

Her parents

Harvey Bergman ^{WV} ^{WV} ^{WV}
(over)

Reed
1. Guy Cassell ^{WV} ^{WV}
born: Dec 13, 1923 Cass

Died
Burial
Married Eleanor Clark Rodgers
from Pickaway, W. Va

2. Howard Cassell ^{WV} ^{WV}

B. April 17, 1922 Cass
Died
Burial
Married

3. Burke Cassell ^{WV} ^{WV}
B. Sept 14, 1935 Cass, W. Va

Died
Burial "Peggy"

married Wanda Lee Robertson ^{WV} ^{WV}
11/14/1951 ^{WV} ^{WV}

3. Charles Cassell ^{WV} ^{WV}

B. November 20, 1938 Cass
Died
Burial

Married Shirley Lynn Smith

4. Twin Sons of Odey & Nettie Cassell

Born: January 31, 1937 Cass, W. Va

Died: January 31, 1937 Stillborn

Burial Wanless Cemetery

4. Mary Ann Cassell

Born: March 7, 1935 Cass, W. Va

Died March 5, 1962

Married Harvey Lee Green ^{WV} ^{WV}

Burial: Wanless Cemetery ^{WV} ^{WV}

(She lived in Ohio ^{WV} ^{WV})

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in Belington Hospital
& died Phillip

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5. Nancy Cassell
Born
Died
Burial

Married Warren Hall

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April 17, 1932 Cass

Oda N Cassell & Jay nicely Cassell
Shekin Report, WVa

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Washington & Maggie Burn Gresham Harvey & Nancy Cassell Horenser
William & Maggie Horenser Gresham
Herbert Gresham

Odey Cassell

Odey N. Cassell, 91 of Cass, died Saturday, November 12, 1977 at home of an apparent heart attack.

Born January 26, 1886, at Cass, he was the son of the late William and India Cassell.

Mr. Cassell was a lifelong resident of Cass, a member of the Wanless United Methodist Church and a retired farmer and timberman.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Nellie Greathouse Cassell; ^{from} four sons, Howard of Yuma, Arizona; Guy Cassell of Nitro Burke of Beckley, and Charles Cassell of Cass; one sister, Mrs. Lela Swink of Cass and seven grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday at one p.m. in the Wanless United Methodist Church with the Revs. William Frewbridge and Leonard Hoover officiating. Burial was in Wanless Cemetery.

Nancy not mentioned

Birthday

Odey N. Cassell of Cass, W. Va. celebrated his ninetieth birthday on January 26, 1976. There was an open house celebration on the 25th in his honor. Those attending were:

Shelene Costello	Mrs. Willis Cassell
Nettie Sheets	Olive Cook
Lela Swink	Mr. & Mrs. John Kennedy
Ernestine Clarkson	Mr. & Mrs. Jamie Sheets
Gayle Mullings	Mr. & Mrs. Guy Cassell
Stella Blackhurst	Charles, Diana & Jason Cassell
Allie Smith	Allen Blackhurst
Ollie Lacy	Mr. & Mrs. Burke Cassell
Mrs. Jesse Cassell	Mr. & Mrs. Neal Cassell
Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Cromer	Mr. & Mrs. Ivan Greathouse
Mrs. & Mrs. Williamson	Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Greathouse
Mrs. & Mrs. Robert Gilmore	Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Hoover Ernestine Clarkson

They appreciated all those who attended, phoned, sent cards & gifts and the hostesses were:

Mrs. Charles Cassell,
Mrs. Dee Smith,
and Mrs. Neal Cassell.

The Pocahontas Times

Picture

February Artist of the Month

Diana Cassell, 17 Cass, is shown above with a group of her pastel paintings in the PCHS Library. Diana is a sophomore and was chosen Artist of the Month by Mrs. Van Nostrand. Diana says she has enjoyed art ever since elementary school days. She is presently working on a mural at home. Diana expects to study art and design in depth but is undecided about which school she will attend. She has lived in Pocahontas County all her life and wants to paint from the beautiful natural setting since landscape is her favorite subject. Mrs. Van Nostrand says she shows talent in sketching people also.

The Pocahontas Times

2/6/1986

as the... Cassell

Picture

PCHS artist of the year

Diana Cassell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cassell, of Cass, has won two scholarships to Glenville State College. She qualified both for a scholarship in art and another for her academic achievement while at Pocahontas County High School.

In addition, Diana's outstanding work during her four years in the Art Department, exhibitions in fair shows — including a juried honorable mention at Glenville State for her pencil work, "Blue Jeans," plus another pencil, "Mountain Lion," which was accepted for a nation-wide traveling exhibition sponsored by the Ogdenby Institute, have earned her the award as Artist of the Year.

Her teacher, Mrs. Roselyn Leary, observes that Diana shows unusual artistic maturity, creativity, knowledge and grasp of concepts; further, she has a unique proficiency in drawing, watercolors, oil, acrylics, pencil, and pen and ink coupled with a gifted command of perspective, composition, abstract, optical, surrealism and impressionism.

The Pocahontas Times
6/2/88

mrs. Nettie Greathouse Cassell
... well, of Durbin, died Monday,
... Hospital in Elkins.
... was the

Picture

Who Who's Among American High School Students

Diana L. Cassell has been notified that her biography will be published in the 21st annual edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students 1986-87.

This is an honor given to only 5% of our nations High School Students for their distinguished achievements in leadership, academic, athletic, school or community activities.

Diana is a senior at PCHS, a member of Students Against Driving Drunk and a member of the Senior Committee. Her hobbies include painting and drawing. She plans to attend Glenville State College next fall, and major in Art education.

Diana is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cassell, of Cass.

The Pocahontas Times

10/22/87

Mrs. Nettie Greathouse Cassell

Mrs. Nettie Greathouse Cassell, of Durbin, died Monday, December 3, 1979, in the Davis Memorial Hospital in Elkins.

Born December 31, 1902, in Pocahontas County, she was the daughter of the late William and Maggie Hevner Greathouse. She was a member of Wanless United Methodist Church and a lifelong resident of the County.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Odey Cassell.

She is survived by one daughter, Nancy Hall, Charlotte, North Carolina; four sons, Charles Cass, Howard, of Arizona, Guy, of Nitro, Burke, of Beckley; four sisters, Bertie Sheets, Durbin, Inn Shelkey, Arlington, Virginia, Katie Shiley, Shafton, Virginia, Annie Cromer, Durbin; two brothers, Herb and Ivan Greathouse, both of Durbin; ten grandchildren; four great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 2 Thursday at the Wanless United Methodist Church by Rev. Carl Beverage & Rev. Richard Ogden. Burial will be in Wanless Cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our loved one, Nettie Cassell. A special thanks to the ones who sent food, cards, money, and flowers, or helped in any way. We would also like to thank Rev. Carl Beverage and Rev. Richard Ogden.

May God richly bless you is our prayer

The Family of Nettie Cassell

The Pocahontas Times

1/3/1980

Charleston Gazette 12/5/1979

Mrs Nettie Cassell

Cass, W. Va. Mrs Nettie Greathouse Cassell, 76 of Cass, Pocahontas County, died Monday, December 3, 1979 in Davis Memorial Hospital, Elkins, after a short illness.

She was a lifelong resident of Pocahontas County and was a member of Wanless United Methodist Church.

Surviving: Daughter, Mrs Nancy Hall of Charlotte, N.C.

Sons: Charles Cassell of Cass, W. Va.

Howard Cassell of Arizona

Guy Cassell of Nitro, W. Va.

Burke Cassell of Beckley, W. Va.

Sisters: Mrs. Bertha Sheets)

Mrs Annie Cromer (both of Durbin, W. Va.)

Mrs. Katie Shirley of Shington, Virginia

Brothers, Herb Greathouse)

Ivan Greathouse (both of Durbin, W. Va.)

10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren

Service will be 2 P.M. Thursday in Wanless United Methodist Church with the Rev. Carl Beverage and the Rev. Richard Ogden officiating. Burial will be in Wanless cemetery. Friends may call after 6 P.M. today at Wallace & Wallace Funeral Home, Arbovale, W. Va. and at the church one hour prior to service.

Surviving wife of Odie Cassell -

(over)

Mrs. Mary Ann Cassell Green

Notice to Creditors

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All persons having claims against the Estate of
Nettie S. Cassell, deceased, are hereby notified to present
the same, properly proven by affidavit, to the undersigned
Administrator within sixty days after the first
publication of this notice.

Given under my hand, this the 26th day of February
1980.

Charles William Cassell
Route 2, Box 32
Cass, WV 24927

Mrs. Mary Ann Cassell Green

Mrs. Mary Ann Cassell Green, 27, of Frankfort, Ohio, formerly of Cass, died March 5, 1962 in a Philippi Hospital.

Survivors include her husband, Jerry Lee Green; her parents, Odey and Nettie Greathouse Cassell; a sister, Mrs. Warren Hall, of Raleigh, North Carolina; four brothers; Howard Cassell, of Arizona, Guy Cassell, of Raleigh, North Carolina; Berk Cassell, of Welch, and Charles Cassell serving with the armed forces.

The funeral was conducted on her 27th birthday, with the Rev. John H. Helms of Albion in charge. Burial was in the Warless Cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

Pocahontas County records

Cassell, Mary Ann married Harvey Lee Green 6/2/1957 He died 1962
He 42 born December 31, 1913 Calhoun Co
married at Cass by Rev. Hugh L. Shirley
Montgomery, Va.

annie L Greathouse Criner and Harvey
Franklin Criner, Jr - 43rd Wedding anniversary
on ~~on~~ August 20, 1978 ~~at~~ Reception held at
Bethel Church. Those attending were

Ivan Greathouse, Mrs Nettie Cessell, Mrs Bessie
Sheets, Mrs Sheltay (Donald E. Sheltay, husband)
Harmon Greathouse who lived in Madison, Ohio
with daughter, Eva & Bill Rankin, Herbert
Greathouse (Curtis R. Houchin is his grandson)

8/19/1982 Major David Criner (retired) and wife, Patty and 2
daughters, Karen & Kris, of Pensacola, Florida, visited his mother
Mrs Harvey Criner on Jack Mountain last week. He has just
received his Masters Degree in Business Administration from
the University of West Florida. He is employed by JANA
Publishers.

Harvey Franklin Cromer, Jr. 80 died Monday, January 29, 1979 in Memorial General Hospital in Elkins after a month's illness. He was a farmer and a member of Bethel United Methodist Church.

Born September 30, 1898 at Chest Bridge, he was the son of Harvey F and Frances Melcomb Cromer.

Surviving him are his wife Annie Breathouse Cromer, 2 sons Dr Donald B Cromer of Chuckville, Va Major David O. Cromer of Pensacola, Florida 5 grandchildren

2 sisters Blanche Elbon

Mary Cromer

1 brother Charles Cromer

all of Durbin

4 foster sons Bill & Paul Means of Martinsburg

Larry Means, Michigan

Ken Means Durbin

3 foster daughters Mrs Beulah Brosh, Shenandoah

Rhonda McDonelley Martinsburg

Jeanne Cox of Manchester, Md.

11 foster grandchildren

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at Bethel United Methodist Church by Rev Richard Ogden, Rev David Pittershouse & Rev Leonard Hoover with burial in the church cemetery.

His wife Annie Breathouse Cromer is Nellie Breathouse Cassell's sister

The couple were approximately 50 friends and reuni-

Ivan Darr Greathouse

Durbin - Ivan Darr Greathouse 65 of Durbin was dead on arrival Saturday, March 13, 1982 at a Green Bank Clinic after a short illness.

A lifelong Durbin resident, he was a member of Bethel United Methodist Church and was a retired farmer.

Surviving: wife, Ella Morgan Greathouse; daughter, Mrs. Donna Hommema of Clarksburg; son Dale of Durbin; ^{four} sisters, Mrs. Jim Sheltby of Arlington, Va., Mrs. Bertie Sheets and Mrs. Annie Cromer, both of Durbin; brother, Herbert of Durbin; five grandchildren.

Service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday in Bethel United Methodist Church, Back Mountain with the Rev. Mark Hickman and the Rev. Harold Swecker officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Friends may call from 6 to 9 p.m. today at Wallace - Wallace Funeral Home, Arbovale.

Mr. Greathouse 65 of Durbin was dead on arrival Saturday at a Green Bank Clinic after a short illness.

Ches Gazette

Born January 17, 1917 at Durbin, he was the son of the late William and Maggie Hevener Greathouse.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Nettie Cassel and three brothers, Clyde, Freddy and Harmon Pocahontas lines.

Herman Greathouse

Herman Greathouse, of Madison, Ohio, and formerly of Durbin, died Friday, October 19, 1979, at Ashtabula General Hospital in Ohio.

He was born June 18, 1906, at Durbin, a son of the late William and Maggie Alice Heavener Greathouse.

His wife, Vellie Wright Greathouse, preceded him in death in 1973.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. William (Eva) Rankin, of Madison, Ohio; one son, Buddy William Greathouse, of Durbin; five sisters, Annie Crenier, Nettie Cassell and Bertie Sheets, all of Durbin, Katie Shiley and Ida Shiley, of Virginia; two brothers, Herbert and Ivan Greathouse, of Durbin; eight grandchildren; fifteen great-grandchildren.

Services were held Tuesday, at two p.m., at Bethel Chapel with Rev. David Rittenhouse and the Rev. Richard Ogden officiating. Burial was in the Gum Cemetery.

The Pocahontas Times

Wedding Anniversary

Picture

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greathouse, of Durbin, were honored recently at a surprise reception in observance of their 45th wedding anniversary.

The event was given by their children and was held at the Bethel United Methodist Church, in Durbin. The couple was married on April 20, 1935 by the Rev. O. N. Miles at Marlinton.

Mrs. Greathouse is the daughter of the late Lawrence and Eve Kinnison, of Marlinton. Mr. Greathouse is the son of the late William and Maggie Greathouse, of Durbin.

Upon arrival the couple's daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Carter, presented her mother and father with a yellow rosebud corsage and yellow rose boutonniere respectively.

Honorees for the occasion were their daughter, Mrs. Phyllis Houcklin, Mrs. Carol Carter and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Ann Greathouse. Accepting gifts were their daughter, Mrs. Linda Meyers.

A color scheme of green, yellow and pink was used in decorations. The three tier anniversary cake was trimmed with yellow roses and green leaves and topped with lovebirds. The table was decorated with green, yellow and pink candles and the flower arrangements were made of yellow and white mums accented with baby's breath and greenery.

The couple has five children and seven grandchildren, all of whom were present for the occasion. They are as follows:

Robert Greathouse and Barbara Ball, of Charleston, South Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. Ray (Phyllis) Houcklin, Curtis and Sonja; Mrs. Betty (Carol) Carter, Susan and David; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Greathouse and Damon, all of Littitz, Pennsylvania, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger (Linda) Meyers and Janey, of Monterey, Virginia.

The couple also has two great-grandchildren. Approximately 50 friends and relatives attended the

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Reception and Press Conference
at the Rochester Times
4/24/1980

which will have resulted in a gathering with the results
all agreed to a ride in the Bank's truck to the ranch
Tennessee to collect it. I met all at the CEPH, as though we had been
members of the old organization and we conversed with
each other in accordance with our old ways.

plains are situated east of Wolff's
camp, and are about 1000 ft. above the
level of the sea. The sand is derived
from the granite hills and the sand is derived
(with quartz and white sand) from the hills.

and the last in comparison with most of the instruments
that I have seen, will be found to be in excellent order. The
last being the only one that I have - of all the
others I have seen, of which there are many, I have

present bus ticket subject to limited number
of passengers. Bus service very not enough all
the time. Mass. all off Derry west road p. 220

cassell

Chambers Clark Cassell

Spending the Easter weekend with the - Mrs Herbert Greathouse were their children, Mr & Mrs Ray Houchin & daughter, Sonya, Mr & Mrs Larry Greathouse and children Damon and Brandie, Mrs Barry after & children, Jessie & Daniel, all of Lititz, Pa., Mr & Mrs Rodger Moyers & son, Jamey of Monterey, Va. Visiting on Sunday were Mr & Mrs. Keith Tracy of Princeton.

Locohentie James 4/30/1981

Birthday

Mrs Price (Lulu) Swind will celebrate her 85th birthday, Sunday, February 28, 1982. Mrs Swind is presently living with her daughter in Fairmont. Her address is 9 Club Crest Road, Fairmont, W Va 26554.

She would be happy to hear from her friends

Cassell

Guy Reed Cassell
Born December 13, 1923 Case

Died

Burial

He - Marine Corp World War II

Married Eleanor Clark Rodgers

from
Keyway,
VA

Born

Died

Burial

1. Catherine Clark Cassell

1948

Born

Died

Burial

Married Kenneth Wayne Clayton, Jr.
March 18

2. Barbara Cassell

1951

Born

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Adey Neal Cassell

Iva Pearl Nicely Cassell

Spouse

Rebecca Jane

3. Becky Cassell

Born 1954

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Married Wiley Steven Hicks

4. Reed Cassell, Jr.

Born 1956

Died

Burial

Married

Mr. Clayton received a B.S. degree in journalism
from the University of Tennessee where he was a news

B. Andrew ^{Annab} Cassell
Born 1961
Died
Burial

Married

In KRT Report Page 4
who runs the bus company? ^(Picture) Guy Cassell represents
the City of Nitro.

The bus company, whose official name is Kanawha
Valley Regional Transportation Authority, is a public
corporation and is managed by a Board of members
which represents the various areas of the Kanawha Valley.
It started back in 1968 when the West Virginia Legislature
passed the urban mass transportation authority act. This
made it possible for governmental units to combine
their efforts and form mass transit corporations,
which is exactly what the Kanawha County Commission
and the City of Charleston did. Other participating
governments are South Charleston, St. Albans, Dunbar,
Nitro, Belle and Montgomery.

at the present time, the following are appointed
to the Board of members of KVRTA:

Picture

Catherine Cassell wed in Cross Lanes Church

The wedding of Miss Catherine Clark Cassell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Guy R. Cassell of Brookhaven Drive, Nitro, to Kenneth W. Clayton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Clayton, Sr. of Lewis, Tenn., was performed March 18 at Cross Lanes United Methodist Church.

The Rev. Denver Dickins performed the 11 a.m. double ring service. Music was presented by Mrs. Sam W. Smith, organist, Gene Richardson, soloist and Robert Herndon, guitarist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white satin designed with a Victorian neckline and leg-o- mutton sleeves. Braided in her hair were cornflowers, mums and baby's breath and she carried a cluster of the same flowers.

Maid of honor was her sister, Miss Barbara Cassell and bridesmaids were the Misses Becky Cassell, another sister and Suzanne Mooney of Lexington, Ky.

The bridegroom was Howard Vogel of Paris, Tenn., as best man. Ushers were Bill Clayton, brother of the groom and Reed Cassell, brother of the bride. Andrew Cassell, the bride's brother was taper lighter.

The bride is a graduate of East Caroline University where she obtained a B.S. degree in nursing. She will be employed at Fort Sanders Presbyterian Hospital in Knoxville, Tenn.

Mr. Clayton received a B.S. degree in journalism from the University of Tennessee where he was a non-

C
Catherine Co.
B

of Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity and Alpha
Delta Sigma advertising honorary. He is working toward a
master's degree in speech pathology at the University of
Tennessee.

The Claytons will reside at 1000 Thompson Place N.W.
Knoxville, Tenn.

Charleston Gazette

Clayton

Catherine Clark Cassell,

Born 1948

Died

Burial

Clayton
I. Lauren Clark Cassell

Born 1977

Died

Burial

March 18, 19—

Merle Kenneth Wayne Clayton, Jr.
Cross-Janes United Methodist Church

Born

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Guy Reed Cassell

Cleener Clark Rodgers

His Parents

Jewell, Kenneth Wayne Clayton, Sr.

Picture

Charleston Daily Mail Tuesday October 15, 1968.

Reigns at Nitro

Patty Mosta, (left) a senior at Nitro High School, had a lot to smile about Saturday night. Miss Mosta, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Mosta of 21 Main Ave., was named as the Wildcats homecoming queen for 1968. Her senior attendants were Barbara Cassell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Guy Cassell and Kathy Stricklen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Stricklen. The junior class representative, Debbie Dawson and the sophomore class representative, Vickie Eckenrode, are not pictured. Nitro won the game 13-7.

Pocahontas County Reunion

The Pocahontas County Reunion, organized Oct. 25, 1980, held its 4th annual dinner meeting on Oct. 1, 1983, at the Ramada Inn, South Charleston, at 6 p.m.

Each member attending stood up and gave their name and where they were from. The ones attending who traveled the farthest to get there were Howard and Nancy Cassell, from Yuma, Arizona.

Special music was presented by Barbara Walters, accompanied by Kathleen Potter Lutman. Of course, the evening wouldn't have been complete without a few words of wisdom from William A. Blackhurst, one of the oldest members who is in his late 80's.

The following officers were nominated from the coming year, Harry Duncan, President, Naomi Arington, Vice President, and Ilene Houchin, Secretary and Treasurer.

Door prizes were given for various things and

William A. Blackhurst, one of the oldest members who is in his late 80's.

The following officers were nominated from the coming year, Harry Duncan, President, Naomi Arrington, Vice President, and Ilene Houchin, Secretary and Treasurer.

Door prizes were given for various things and a good time was had by all. Anyone who stayed home missed a very nice evening.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dolly, Tom Houchin, Vernon and Nellie (McElwee)

East, Richard East, Ila Idleman, Alex and Phyllis Duncan, Austin and Eloise Gum, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alderman, J. W. Sheets, Burke and Peggy Cassell, Howard and Nancy Cassell, Guy and Eleanor Cassell, Mr. and Mrs. Guy McElwee, Virginia Graham, Betty and Norman Fitzhugh, Ann M. Goshorn, Blanch Charles, Lake McClure, Kate McClure, Bill and Alma Applegarth, Jack Phillips, Kathleen and Ed Seitz, Emily Moulton, M-

East, Richard East,
Idleman, Alex and Phyllis
Duncan, Austin and Eloise
Gum, Mr. and Mrs. J. W.
Alderman, J. W. Sheets,
Burke and Peggy Cassell,
Howard and Nancy Cassell,
Guy and Eleanor Cassell,
Mr. and Mrs. Guy McEl-
wee, Virginia Graham, Betty
and Norman Fitzhugh,
Ann M. Goshorn, Blanch
Charles, Lake McClure,
Kate McClure, Bill and
Alma Applegarth, Jack
Phillips, Kathleen and Ed
Seitz, Emily Moulton, Mar-
garet Moulton, Ray and
Naomi Arrington, Bertha
K. Orr, Norma Meeks,
Harold and Maxine Nickell,
Audra and Hollie Thomp-
son, Bob Ashmore, Clay
and Hester Houchin, Bill
Blackhurst, Lillie Black-
hurst, William W. Black-
hurst, Elmer McClure,
Gladys McClure, Kathleen
Lutman, George and Athie
Vint, Mildred Blackhurst
King, Charles E. King,
Nola Propst Fain, Aileen
Waugh Dodrill, Helen and
Paul Craft, Delana Ryder,
Barbara and Doug Walters,
Marilee and Cy Cyrus,
Stella Campbell, Harry and
Inez Warwick and Harry
and Helen Duncan.

We hope to have a bigger
crowd next year. Watch for
our announcement.

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Cassell

Howard Jerome
Cassell

Born 1922

Died

Burial

Married

to

Wanda Lee Robertson

His Parents

Odey Neal Cassell

Eva Lee Nicely Cassell

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3. Nancy —
(listed in October 1, 1983
Pocahontas County Revision
at Paradise Inn, South Dakota, W.D.)

Resides: Tucson, Arizona

Par.

Burke Hannah Cassell

Cassell

Death
She-to

Burke Hannah Cassell
Born September 14, 1925 W. Va.

Crucifix

Died

Burial

in Presbyterian
co. cemetery

He Marine Corp Hellcat II
Married November 14, 1957 Warren Da Rose, Jr.
"Peggy"
Wanda Lee Robertson

Born

Died

Burial

His Parents

Odey Neal Cassell
Iva Paul Nicky Cassell

Her Parents:

Ray Robertson

Lenna Louise Ruckman Robertson

Burke Cassell

He was Captain in W. Va. State Police Force
Retired 19

Rosen

Mrs Lenne L. Robertson

Durbin - Mrs Lenne Louise Robertson 72, of Durbin,
Pocahontas County, died ^{August 7, 1979} Tuesday in University Hospital
Morgantown after a long illness.

She was a member of Durbin United Methodist Church,
past Matron of Eastern Star, Cass, and past Noble
Grand of Rebekah Lodge, Durbin.

Surviving: husband, Ray; daughter, Mrs Peggy
Cassell of Beckley.

Service will be 2 p.m. Thursday in Wallace -
Wallace Funeral Home, Arbovale with the Rev Thomas
Henderson officiating. Burial will be in Arbovale
Cemetery. Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at
the funeral home

Charleston Gazette

Ray Robertson

Durbin - Ray Robertson, 81, of Durbin, Pocahontas County, died Thursday, May 14, 1981 in Beckley Appalachian Regional Hospital after a long illness.

He was a 64-year resident of Durbin and was a Presbyterian. He was past master of the Masonic Lodge No. 124, Cass, and past grand master of the WAF, Green Bank. He was formerly employed by the Howe Leather Co, the Green Bank ^{Takeo} National Observatory and the U.S. Forest Service.

Surviving: daughter, Mrs. Peggy Crossell of Beckley.

Service will be 2 p.m. Sunday in Wallace-Wallace Funeral Home, Arbovale, with the Rev. Thomas Henderson and the Rev. Mark Nickman officiating. Burial will be in Arbovale Cemetery. Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Charleston Gazette

He was born July 14, 1899 in Shiloh, Missouri the son of David Francis and Mattie Norman ^(Robertson) Robertson.

Pocahontas Times
May 21, 1981

Mrs. Lenna Robertson of Durbin died August 7, 1979
She was a daughter of

over

Ray Robertson

Ray Robertson, 81, of Durbin, died Thursday, May 14, 1981, in Beckley Regional Hospital after a long illness.

He was born July 14, 1899, in Sheldbine, Missouri, the son of David Francis and Mattie Foreman Robinson.

He was a 64 year resident of Durbin and was a Presbyterian. He was past master of the Masonic Lodge No. 124, class and past grand master of I.O.O.F., Green Bank. He was formerly employed by the Howes Leather Co, the Green Bank National Radio Observatory and the U.S. Forest Service.

Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Peggy ~~Cassell~~, of Beckley.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Wallace and Wallace Funeral Home, Arbovale, with the Rev. Mark Hickman officiating. Burial was in Arbovale Cemetery.

The Peabody's Lines

Cassell

Charles William Cassell
Born November 30 1938 Cass

1. Diane Lynn Cassell
Born Feb 16, 1970
Died
Buried

26 Roberto He. Army WW II
-77 Scents Salvaged by Jack C. Miller Durham
Married Sherry Lynn Smith
October 14, 1965
Born
Died
Buried

Married
2. Charles Jason Cassell
Born July 28, 1972

Resides: Cass, NC

His Parents

Odey Neal Cassell
Buried
Nettie Ruthene Cassell

Her Parents

Doris J. Smith
alive
Allie H. Stewart Smith
b. May 29, 1919 d. October 12, 1983

circuit court civil orders

January 11, 1982 - Sherry L. Cassell vs vs Charles W. Cassell, divorce granted

daughter of John & Effie Winkles Stewart
see obituary in C.C. & Hannel Cassell Winkles file

can't locate who she married (She married
Charles William Cassell

Sherry Cassell of Cass daughter of ^m Dec. J. Smith
and Mrs. Allie H. Smith (daughter of John & Elizabeth Stewart)

Rogers

Hall

Duncy Brethouse

b

d

Burial

Married

Warren Hall

b

d

Burial

1. Brenda Hall

b

d

Burial

Married Ray Rogers

2. Freda Hall

b

d

Burial

Charley Cassell

Rogers

Bruce Hall

1. Chad Rogers

b

&

d

B

Married

Rey Rogers

Services were conducted at the Rogers

baptizing, W. Va on Friday. Interment was

in the cemetery.

Burial

in the cemetery.

Her Parents

His Parents

Wesleyan Church, 1000 South 10th Street

Charles Lacy Cassell

Charles Lacy Cassell was born August 22, 1888 3
and died on Tuesday, August 26, 1947. He is
survived by his wife and 3 children and 2 grand
children; also by two sisters, Maude Cassell and
Mrs. Lea Swind and one brother, Odey Cassell.

He had been in failing health for the past
5 years

Funeral services were conducted at his home
in Ridgeley, W. Va on Friday. Interment was
made in Maryland.

Sleep, dear brother, and take thy rest,
God called you home, he knew it best.

The Pocahontas Lines

Son of William Cassell, Jr and Indee L. Sutton
Cassell

Cassell

Charles Lucy Cassell
Born August 22, 1888 ^{Green Bank}

Died August 26, 1947

Burial ~~myself~~ ~~myself~~ ~~myself~~ ~~myself~~
Solemnized by A. M. Coffey co. Deed

Le-13 ~~Marie~~ ~~John~~ ~~Jane~~ Sheets

Born 1894

Died

Burial

She is
Sister to
Gladys and
Sheila Del
Sheila died
Married
Name changed
Cassell so to
first wife

1. Opal Luvera Cassell
Born September 24, 1912 ^{WV}

Died

Burial

Married — Campbell

2. Edith Pauline Cassell

Born March 1, 1913

Died

Burial

Her parents

William Cassell, Jr.

Married

single

India L. Sutton Cassell

3. Charles Calvin Cassell

Born April 12, 1915

Died

Burial

Married Millie

Live in Ridgeley, W. Va.

4. ~~John~~
~~Burial~~

~~John~~

in. Hazel Russell Caswell

1973

Campbell

Open Livera Caswell
Born September 24, 1912 Houghton
WY

1. Evelyn
8.

Died

Burial

Married

Campbell

Born

Died

Burial

Her Parents

Charles Lucy Caswell

Lora Jane Shultz Caswell

Miscellany

Albert C & Rachel Cassell Swink

Swink

Miss Naudie Ruth Cassell, aged 61 years died at her home near Cass on Wednesday May 20, 1953 after a long illness. On Friday afternoon the service was held by her pastor, Rev. C. E. Winkler. Her body was laid to rest in the Waukesha Cemetery.

Her brother is Odie Cassell and her sister is Mrs. Leslie Cassell Swink. The deceased was a daughter of the late William and India Sutton Cassell

Pocahontas Times

Daughter of William Cassell, Jr and India L Sutton
Cassell

See Zachariah J. & Rachel Cassell Swink

Swink

5 issue

names

Lela Alice Cassell

Born: February 28, 1897 W. Va.

Died June 30, 1985 Home

Burial Wrenless Cemetery

(Lives on Beck Mountain)
She is sister to Oney Cassell

→ December 18, 1913

Married December 18, 1913 —

Price W. Swink

Born: February 25, 1888 Cass

Died: October 9, 1964 Cass

Age 76 coronary occlusion

Burial Wrenless Cemetery with

Arteriosclerosis with previous heart attacks

Her Parents:

William Cassell, Jr.
India L. Sutton Cassell

See Parents:

Zachariah J. Swink
Rachel Cassell Swink

Infant son of

Mr. L. A. P. L. Swink

Born & died

December 19, 1916

not alive 10 days

wrenless cemetery

1. Shetna Swink

Born

Died

Burial

Married — Costello

William

2. Lake Swink

Born

Died

Burial

Married Ha world war II Veteran

3. Mary Frances Swink

Born

Died

Burial

Married Ronald J. Hinckley

July 6, 1949 at Circleville Rev. D.C. Blair

5. Infant

Born December 12, 1916

Died December 22, 1916

Burial Wrenless Cemetery

Note

Marie Ronald J. Hinckley

July 6, 1949 at Circleville Rev. D.C. Blair

6. Infant

Born December 12, 1916

Died December 22, 1916

Burial Wrenless Cemetery

Note

Swink

died December 22, 1916

Spinal Bifida

10 day old infant

Parents not listed

Lake Swink (parent)
Mary Cassell (parent)
(will be married
at same time as
Lula)

4/12/1982 Mrs. Lela Swink address
14-9 Club-Crest Road
Fairmont, W. Va.

7/16/1981 Pocahontas Times

Note of Thanks

I would like to express my appreciation to everyone who has helped me since my accident June 11, 1981. Special thanks to Abe Seabolt, Mary & Neil Cassell, Mr Seabolt, Sherry Cassell, Darlene Cassell and Stewart Swink and all who sent flowers and cards. Many thanks to all and may God bless you all.

Mrs. Lela Swink

Lela Swink

Mrs. Lela Alice Swink, 88, of Cass, died Sunday, June 30, 1985, in Fairmont Convalescent Home.

Born February 28, 1897, at Cass, she was the daughter of the late William and Andria Sutton Cassell.

She was a lifelong resident of Cass and was a member of the Wanless United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Swink was preceded in death by her husband, Price L. Swink, a son, a sister, and two brothers.

Surviving her are her three daughters, Mrs. Ethelma Coates, of Clarksburg, Mrs. Mary Frances Kennedy, of Fairmont, and Mrs. Norma Hinckman, of Wayne, New Jersey; one son, Lake Swink, of Dundalk, Maryland; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a. m. Wednesday in Wanless United Methodist Church by Rev. Mark Hickman, with burial in Wanless Cemetery.

Post-Gazette Times 7/4/1985
Marton, W. Va.

Lela Alice Swink, 88, a lifelong resident of Cass, died Sunday (June 30, 1985) in a Fairmont Convalescent Hospital following an extended illness. Friends will be received at the Wallace & Wallace Funeral Home at Arbovale from 6 p. m. to 9 p. m. Today, funeral services will be held at 11 a. m. Wednesday at the Wanless United Methodist Church with the Rev. Mark Hickman officiating. Interment will follow in the Wanless Cemetery.

The Inter-Mountain 7/3/1985
Elkins, W. Va.

(Over)

Card of Thanks

The family of Lele Swink wishes to express their thanks to everyone who helped in any way at the time of her death.

For the food, flowers and memorial donations to Wanless Methodist Church and prayers which brought a much comfort at this difficult time; it was deeply appreciated.

A special thanks to Mary Ellen and Neil Cassell, Abe Seabolt, truly good neighbors, and the Rev. Mark Hickman for the comforting service.

The grandsons, Denell and Douglas Hindman and Michael Swink, the nephews, Gary, Burke and Charles Cassell for being pall bearers, Neil Cassell, Abe Seabolt and Stewart Swink, Honorary Pall bearers, we thank you.

May God bless each of those who helped to make her passing easier to bear.

The Swink Family

Pocahontas, Indiana 7/18/1985

Snow of 1928

In reply to Mr. Ernest Morris's article about the snow which fell April 27 and 28, 1928.

I remember the snow very well and often tell folks about that snow. We lived on Buck Mountain near Cass. Twenty-four inches of snow fell there on the 27th of April. I remember so well because that morning my father, Price Stank, went to look about his sheep and found one mother had given birth to a very large lamb and she had died. That lamb was walking around in the snow and he couldn't believe that it had survived without any food. He brought the lamb to the house and fed it and discovered it already had tiny horns on its head. He gave it to me for my pet. I named him "Jack Horner" and he grew to be a beautiful big lamb. I sold him that fall, and the money helped to buy my school clothes for the winter.

Thelma S. Costello
129 Denham St.
Clarksburg, W. Va. 26301

The Roanoke Times
5/12/88

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The Spokesman Times
5/12/88

See other b--

Hirschman - Swink

Mr. and Mrs. Price Swink of Cass, announce the marriage of their daughter, Norma Alice to Ronald J. Hirschman at Circleville July 6, 1949. The minister was Rev. G. C. Blain.

The bride is a graduate of Greenbank High School and Davis and Elkins College. She has been employed by the Morris Paper Company in Clarksburg.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Hirschman, of Freeport, N. J. He is a graduate of Davis and Elkins College. He is associated with his father in business. They will make their home in Freeport.

The Post-Standard
The Freeport Times

... See other b...

Price Letcher Swink

Price Letcher Swink, 76, of Cass, died Friday, October 9, 1964, near his home after a heart attack while working.

A lifelong resident of Cass, he was a retired State Road employee and farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Lela Cassell Swink; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Frances Kennedy, 17, Fairmont, Mrs. Thelma Costello, 47, Clarksburg, and Mrs. Norma Hinchman, of Wayne, New Jersey; one son, Lake Swink, of Baltimore, Maryland, and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday at the home by the Rev. Thomas Dunlap and the Rev. B.B. Mitchell with burial in the Wanless Cemetery on Back Mountain near Cass.

The Pocahontas Times